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**GANGSTER DISCIPLE RECEIVES 10-YEAR SENTENCE  
FOR POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA**

Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Darius Kelly, aka "Beady Eye," 28, Chicago, was sentenced today by Chief U.S. District Judge Barbara B. Crabb to ten years in prison for possession of marijuana with the intent to distribute.

Kelly's sentence was enhanced based on his repeat felony drug offenses. The district court also found that Kelly actively participated in an assault in an effort to collect drug proceeds. Kelly's sentence will be served without the possibility of parole.

United States Attorney Peterson stated that the charges followed an investigation conducted by the Drug Enforcement Administration, Dane County Narcotics and Gang Task Force, and Chicago Police Department.

The prosecution of this case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Timothy M. O'Shea.

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